

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 7608

INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY PARIS NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY JIDDA NIACT IMMEDIATE

UNCLAS KUWAIT 3251

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT KU

SUBJ: GUNMEN RELEASE HOSTAGES AND GIVE THEMSELVES UP

REF: KUWAIT 3249

1. ABOUT 1500Z SEPT 8 GUNMEN RELEASED HOSTAGES AND GAVE THEMSELVES UP AFTER RECEIVING GOK ASSURANCES OF SAFE CONDUCT TO LOCATION AS YET UNNAMED.

2. CAPTORS PRESENTLY IN CUSTODY AND HOSTAGES IN PROCESS BEING RELEASED.

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## Message Attributes

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